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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Ralph M. Samodell
For : **POWER SWITCH FOR WELDER**
Serial No. : 10/050,702
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Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed July 8, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.